

ATTENTION

A black bear has been sighted along the Provo River Corridor a few times since Sunday, May 29, 2011. Please be careful and be mindful of the following recommendations from Utah Division of Wildlife Resources on how to avoid an encounter with a bear.

Take precautions while hiking or fishing

- Stay alert at dawn and dusk, when bears are more active

- Go with a group, if possible

- Make noise as you travel through dense cover

- Stay away from animal carcasses

- Store food, trash and scented items (such as sunscreen) in airtight plastic bags

- Keep kids in the center of the group

Report a nuisance bear

If you see a bear in a residential area or you encounter an aggressive bear, please contact the Utah Division of Wildlife Resources immediately. Offices are located in:

Springville, 801-491-5678

Salt Lake City, 801-538-4700

Ogden, 801-476-2740

Cedar City, 435-865-6100

Vernal, 435-781-9453

Price, 435-613-3700